

## SAINT HIPPOLYTE CHURCH

26012 N. Frenchtown Rd., Guys Mills PA 16327  
(GPS only; send mail to the parish office)

Monday 8:30am - Adoration and Rosary  
Sunday 11:00am - Mass

### Confessions:

First Sunday of the Month after Mass  
or by appointment

## *The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)*

*June 22, 2025*

## OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHURCH

251 S. Franklin St., Cochran, PA 16314  
(GPS only; send mail to the parish office)

Friday 8:30am - Adoration and Rosary

IT IS THE MISSION OF SAINT HIPPOLYTE AND OUR LADY OF LOURDES TO FULLY, CONSCIOUSLY, AND ACTIVELY GROW AS A FAMILY CENTERED IN CHRIST MINISTERING TO THE ENTIRE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY.

### Pastor

Rev. Jeffrey J. Lucas

### Parochial Vicar

Rev. Kyle Seyler

### Faith Formation Coordinator

Joyce Tarr 814-671-1009

### Administrative Assistant

Desiree Wagner

### Director of Music Ministries

Darcie Schoenfeldt

### To schedule an appointment with

Father Lucas or Father Seyler, call 814-336-1112.

### Parish Office

25997 State Highway 27, Guys Mills, PA 16327

Phone: (814) 789-2022 Fax: 814-789-2025

Email: [office@sainthippolytechurch.com](mailto:office@sainthippolytechurch.com)

[www.sainthippolytechurch.com](http://www.sainthippolytechurch.com)

Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 9:00am-4:00pm

St. Hippolyte Social Hall: 814-789-4533

Our Lady of Lourdes Social Hall: 814-425-7550

## Weekly Liturgy Schedule

MONDAY, JUNE 23, WEEKDAY (Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time)

8:30am SH Adoration and Rosary

TUESDAY, JUNE 24, THE NATIVITY OF JOHN THE BAPTIST

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 25, WEEKDAY

THURSDAY, JUNE 26, WEEKDAY

FRIDAY, JUNE 27, THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS

8:30am OLL Adoration and Rosary

SATURDAY, JUNE 28, THE IMMACULATE HEART  
OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

SUNDAY, JUNE 29, SAINTS PETER AND PAUL

11:00am SH In honor of April & Cark Terrill

(Michael & Aimee Vinca Family)

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[www.sainthippolytechurch.com](http://www.sainthippolytechurch.com)  
and The Epiphany of the Lord parish bulletin at  
[www.epiphanymeadville.org](http://www.epiphanymeadville.org)

## HELPING HANDS MINISTRY

### Coordinators:

Fran Greathouse ..... 814-425-2549

Carole Jones ..... 814-789-2881

### Prayer Requests:

Bob & Denise Schoenfeldt.... 814-333-8464

Julia Hovis ..... 814-657-3265

### Visitation:

Carole Jones (cards) ..... 814-789-2881

Pam Garofola (cards) ..... 814-720-8190

Connie Molli (telephone) ..... 814-967-3813

Brenda Withers (telephone) .. 814-425-1062

### Ministry of Welcome:

Garold Molli..... 814-967-3813

Jen Mitchell (newborns)..... 412-965-2141

### Services to the Bereaved:

Kay Hotchkiss (Mass) ..... 814-425-3933

Steve Dale (Mass) ..... 814-425-2341

Kitty Jehn (dinner) ..... 814-425-8282

Cathy Kalinowski (dinner).... 814-425-2484

Rita Bogardus (dinner)..... 814-789-2679

Joyce Tarr (follow up)..... 814-671-1009

### Emergency Home Care:

Mary Beth Coyle (meals)..... 814-350-6218

Amy Mercier (meals) ..... 814-795-0052

Scott Wheelock (odd jobs).... 814-967-4319

**PARISH MEMBERSHIP:** Membership includes active participation in the sacramental life of the Church, involvement in the activities of the faith community and financial support of the parish. New members are welcome to register by calling the parish office, at 814-789-2022

**BAPTISM:** Parents must attend the Pre-Baptism Program. Call the parish office for a copy of the program schedule and to schedule your child's baptism.

**MARRIAGE:** One party must be a registered parishioner and actively involved for one year before scheduling a wedding. Please call the parish office at least six months prior to the proposed date of marriage. No date can be set before the first interview with the priest has been completed.

**ANointing OF THE SICK:** Please phone the parish office immediately if a loved one is sick or hospitalized.

## THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

is offered in our parish immediately following Sunday Mass on the first Sunday of the month. Confession is also offered at The Epiphany of the Lord Parish, Saint Agatha Church (353 Pine Street, Meadville) on Saturday mornings following the 8:00am Mass and on Saturday afternoons at 3:30pm. To schedule an appointment with Father Lucas or Father Seyler, call 814-336-1112.

Sacramental Emergency: 814-350-7676

## EVENTS THIS WEEK

Today	10:30am	Rosary at SH
Monday	8:30am	Adoration and Rosary at SH
	9:30am	Small Group Bible Study at SH
Friday	8:30am	Adoration and Rosary at OLL
		Parish Office closed
Sunday	10:30am	Rosary at SH
		Second Collection: Peter's Pence

## COMING EVENTS

July 2 Le Nom du Pere Society meeting at SH 7:00pm  
July 4 Independence Day; Parish Office closed

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

TODAY: Gn 14:18-20/1 Cor 11:23-26/Lk 9:11b-17  
MONDAY: Gn 12:1-9/Mt 7:1-5  
TUESDAY: Is 49:1-6/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80  
WEDNESDAY: Gn 15:1-12, 17-18/Mt 7:15-20  
THURSDAY: Gn 16:1-12, 15-16 or 16:6b-12, 15-16/Mt 7:21-29  
FRIDAY: Ez 34:11-16/Rom 5:5b-11/Lk 15:3-7  
SATURDAY: Gn 18:1-15/Lk 2:41-51  
SUNDAY: 12:1-11/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

June 23: David Schwartz  
June 25: Ty Neely  
June 26: Carol Graham

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

June 24: Ron & Eleanor Kalinowski  
June 25: Mark & Pam Garofola  
June 26: Phil & Mindy Young  
June 27: Mike & Julie Foulk

## QUESTION OF THE WEEK

*Suggested text for faith sharing: Today's Gospel*

**Adults** – How can you prepare yourself to be nourished by Jesus in the Eucharist this week?

**Youth** – Each week, when we celebrate the Holy Eucharist we are asked to “do this in remembrance of me.” How else do you acknowledge the importance of Jesus in your life? Through prayer? Through the ways that you treat others?

**Children** – How can you share what you have received from Jesus with others this week?

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## SACRIFICIAL GIVING

*Our gifts given in thanksgiving for what we have already received.*

	SH	OLL
Offertory last week:	\$1,485	\$ 380
envelopes used:	39	11
Building Fund last week:	\$ 491	\$ 95
envelopes used:	21	5

### Catholic Services Appeal 2025:

Diocesan Assessment: \$28,259

Pledges/Gifts: 67

Pledged: \$28,525 Payments Received: \$20,510

*Thanks for your generosity and dedication.*

**HELPING HANDS PRAYER** Blessed are You, God most high, maker of heaven and earth, Whose covenant with Abraham is a blessing of peace for all the peoples of earth, and Whose covenant in Jesus nourishes and sustains all who hunger for the bread of life. As often as we eat the bread and drink the cup that proclaim the Lord's death, let the love of Christ compel us to hand on to others, without judgment or measure, the blessings we ourselves have received so generously at Your hand. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever. Amen.

## PARISH RAFFLE TICKET RETURNS

can be made through the collection basket, given to Kathy Young or mailed to the parish office. If you need more tickets, please contact the parish office or Kathy Young. Our next monthly drawing will be held on July 6.

**INTERESTED IN ATTENDING A CURSILLO WEEKEND or NEED MORE INFO?** Pick up a brochure in the church vestibule or call Carl and Kay Hotchkiss at 814-425-3933.

## LOOKING FOR RESOURCES FOR YOUR FAMILY?

Discover why families always matter at:  
<http://www.eriecd.org/fam.htm>



## LIKE US ON FACEBOOK:

Saint Hippolyte/Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church

Join the diocesan Facebook page at  
[www.ErieRCD.org](http://www.ErieRCD.org)

If you would like the Sanctuary Candle to be lit for a week for a special intention or in memory of your loved one at either of our churches, please call the parish office at 814-789-2022. Donation: \$10.

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** is held at 8:30am on Monday mornings at Saint Hippolyte and Friday mornings at Our Lady of Lourdes.

**Please join us for a reception after Mass next Sunday** as we honor our recently confirmed students: Brayden Gordon and Emma Sutton; and our 2025 high school graduates: Nicholas Knapka, Avery Palotas and Zayne Smith. All are welcome!

**Any member of *Helping Hands* or anyone else interested** are invited to attend one of the following Parish Care and Concern Workshops, sponsored by Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Erie: June 26 at St. Mark Catholic Center in Erie at 12:00 noon or 5:30pm. Call Carole (814-789-2881) to register and/or to carpool.

**St. Joseph's 86th Annual 4th of July Celebration** will be held on the parish grounds (112 Rectory Lane, Lucinda PA) from 11:00am until 4:00pm. All you can eat chicken and ham dinners, including home-made soup and pie. For more details visit <https://www.watch4deercatholic.church/Job Opportunities...>

- **Administrative Assistant position for St. Hippolyte/Our Lady of Lourdes Parish.** If anyone is interested in applying, call the parish office at 814-789-2022 or email [office@sainthippolytechurch.com](mailto:office@sainthippolytechurch.com) to receive the application. Resume and application must be received back to the parish office no later than July 27, 2025. Job description and expectations will be shared with candidates during the interview process.
- **Grade 1 Teacher for Seton Catholic School.** This is a full time position for the 2025-26 school year and beyond. Join our mission. Shape the future Contact Seton School at 814-336-2320 or email [chess@seton-school.com](mailto:chess@seton-school.com)



**This year's dinner will be held on Sunday, July 27!** We need the help of all parishioners; there is something for everyone! Please contact Claire Smith at 814-795-7283 to volunteer. **We are especially in need of volunteers for the early morning crew to clean and pre-cook the chicken.** This shift starts around 5am and is usually finished around 11am. The early bird gets the worm! Winner, Winner, Chicken Dinner! Please call Claire to volunteer for any of the open positions.

- We are now accepting donations for our gift auction. Only new or handcrafted items can be accepted. Items should be delivered to the Gift Auction Room in the Saint Hippolyte Church classroom area BEFORE July 21st. To avoid confusion, please record the item(s) donated on the sign-in sheet so that they will be included on the master list. If you plan to deliver a donated item on the day of the dinner, please call Shannon Ploski at 814-282-7634 by July 21st so that preparations can be made in advance.
- ♦ The Country Store needs donations of homemade craft items, baked goods, candy, fudge, jams, jellies, garden produce, etc. These items can be brought to the church or office between now and the day of the dinner. Fresh produce and baked goods can be delivered to Saint Hippolyte Church on the morning of July 27.



When Jesus appeared to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, He said "I want reparation before the Eucharist." Below is the prayer St. Margaret wrote as in reparation to our Lord:

### **St. Margaret Mary's ACT OF LOVE**

**Oh good and merciful Saviour,** it is the desire of my heart to return Thee love for love. My greatest sorrow is that Thou art not loved by men, and, in particular, that my own heart is so cold, so selfish, so ungrateful. Deeply sensible of my own weakness and poverty, I trust that Thy own grace will enable me to offer Thee an act of pure love, and **I wish to offer Thee this act of love in reparation for the coldness and neglect that are shown to Thee in the Sacrament of Thy love by Thy creatures.** Oh Jesus, my sovereign good, I love Thee, not for the sake of the reward which Thou hast promised to those who love Thee, but purely for Thyself. **I love Thee above all things** that can be loved, above all pleasures, and in fine above myself and all that is not Thee, protesting in the presence of heaven and earth that I will live and die purely and simply in Thy holy love, and that if to love Thee thus, I must endure persecution and suffering I am perfectly satisfied, and I will ever say with Saint Paul: "Nothing shall separate me from the love of Christ." **Oh Jesus, supreme master of all hearts I love Thee, I adore thee, I praise thee, I thank Thee because I am now all Thine own.** Rule over me, and transform my soul into the likeness of Thyself, so that it may **bless and glorify Thee forever in the abode of the Saints.** Amen.

<https://www.thedivinemercy.org/articles/saint-margaret-mary-and-reparation-sacred-heart#:~:text=Both%20in%20her%20autobiography%20and%20her%20letters%2C%20St.,and%20renewing%20that%20consecration%20on%20a%20regular%20basis.>



May 20, 2025

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

On June 29<sup>th</sup>, the Church will celebrate the Solemnity of Sts. Peter and Paul, the two Apostles who shed their blood for Christ in Rome. The Peter's Pence Collection is taken up every year throughout the Church on or near that Solemnity. This year the collection will be taken up on the weekend of June 28 and 29.

The Peter's Pence Collection supports the charitable works of our Holy Father, Pope Leo XIV, the successor of St. Peter, as he responds to some of the most urgent needs of people throughout the world, including relief to victims of natural disasters such as earthquakes and floods. Peter's Pence also helps our Holy Father support seminaries and religious houses, orphanages, AIDS treatment centers, and other medical facilities in developing nations, as well as many other charitable works.

From the beginning the Church has made it a priority to help the most in need among our brothers and sisters in the human family. Your prayers and contributions will allow this important work to continue.

Through our support of the Peter's Pence Collection, we are also helping to strengthen the ties that bind us together as the Family of God. Thank you for your generosity.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

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*+Lawrence T. Persico*

The Most Reverend Lawrence T. Persico, JCL  
Bishop of Erie





129th  
***FRENCHTOWN  
HAM or CHICKEN DINNER***

**SUNDAY, JULY 27, 2025**

**SAINT HIPPOLYTE CHURCH**

State Highway 27—7 miles east of Meadville  
GPS: 26012 North Frenchtown Road, Guys Mills PA

Dinners Served 12:30—4:30(or sold out)

**Menu:**

½ BBQ Chicken or Ham  
Mashed Potatoes, Gravy,  
Green Beans, Coleslaw,  
Applesauce, Dinner Roll,  
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Adults \$ 15

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☐ Saint Hippolyte

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